

**GAMING DEVICE HAVING AN ACCUMULATED AWARD SELECTION
BONUS SCHEME**

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PRIORITY CLAIM

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This application is a continuation-in-part of and claims the benefit of
U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/963,721, filed September 26, 2001, ^{now U.S. patent No. 6,602,137} ✓
which incorporated herein by reference.

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CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is related to the following commonly-owned co-pending
patent applications: "GAMING DEVICE HAVING A BONUS SCHEME WITH
MULTIPLE SELECTION GROUPS," Serial No. 09/656,702, Attorney Docket
15 No. 0112300-008, now U.S. Patent No. 6,439,995; "GAMING DEVICE WITH
BONUS SCHEME HAVING MULTIPLE AWARD LEVELS," Serial
No. 09/602,140, Attorney Docket No. 0112300-023; "GAMING DEVICE
HAVING BONUS SCHEME WITH INCREMENTAL VALUE DISCLOSURE,"
Serial No. 09/627,198, Attorney Docket No. 0112300-022, now pending;
20 "GAMING DEVICE WITH BONUS SCHEME PROVIDING INCREASED
REWARD FOR SELECTING RELATED SYMBOLS," Serial No. 09/605,023,
Attorney Docket No. 0112300-025, now pending; "GAMING DEVICE HAVING
A MULTIPLE SELECTION GROUP BONUS ROUND," Serial No. 09/605,107,
Attorney Docket No. 0112300-031, now U.S. Patent No. 6,511,375.; "GAMING
25 DEVICE HAVING APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING AN
AWARD THROUGH AWARD ELIMINATION OR REPLACEMENT," Serial
No. 09/686,283, Attorney Docket 0112300-139, now U.S. Patent No.